**CATEGORY 1**
Schools exhibiting exceptional student performance and academic growth.

Piedmont, AL Piedmont Elementary  
Taylor, AR Taylor Elementary  
Colorado Springs, CO Martin Luther King Jr. Elementary  
Rome, GA Model Elementary  
Caldwell, ID Thomas Jefferson Charter  
Hillsboro, KS Hillsboro Elementary  
Baton Rouge, LA Baton Rouge Foreign Language Academic Immersion Magnet (BRFLAIM)  
Acushnet, MA Acushnet Elementary  
D'Iberville, MS D'Iberville Elementary  
Webb City, MO Harry S Truman Elementary  
Fort Benton, MT Fort Benton Elementary  
Wakefield, NE Wakefield High  
Lodi, NJ Columbus Elementary  
Wagon Mound, NM Wagon Mound Elementary  
St. John, ND St. John High  
Mansfield, OH Mifflin Elementary  
Chesnee, SC Cooley Springs-Fingerville Elementary  
Whitewood, SD Whitewood Elementary  
Cottontown, TN Oakmont Elementary  
Roma, TX Roel A. & Celia R. Saenz Elementary  
Price, UT Creekview Elementary  
Virginia Beach, VA Bayside Sixth Grade Campus  
Spanaway, WA Camas Prairie Elementary  
LaCrosse, WA LaCrosse Elementary  
Albin, WY Albin Elementary

**CATEGORY 2**
Schools that have closed the achievement gap between student groups.

Newton, AL Newton Elementary  
Fairbanks, AK Denali Elementary  
Maumelle, AR Pine Forest Elementary  
Olathe, KS Westview Elementary  
Louisville, KY W.E.B. DuBois Academy  
Albany, LA Albany Upper Elementary  
Scobey, MT Scobey Elementary  
Durham, NC Durham Charter  
Mott, ND Mott-Regent High  
Austintown, OH Austintown Intermediate  
Winsboro, SC Fairfield Magnet for Math and Science  
Pharr, TX Cesar Chavez Elementary  
Fountain Green, UT Fountain Green Elementary  
Woodbridge, VA Kerrydale Elementary

**CATEGORY 3**
Schools that show excellence in serving special populations of students (e.g. homeless, migrant, English learners, etc.).

Swink, CO Swink Elementary  
Greenwood, DE Woodbridge Early Childhood Education Center  
Comer, GA Comer Elementary  
Carlisle, KY Nicholas County Elementary  
Haverhill, MA Whittier Regional Vocational Technical High  
Mora, MN Mora Elementary  
Pearl, MS Pearl Lower Elementary  
Crete, NE Crete Intermediate  
Galloway, NJ Reeds Road Elementary  
Gallup, NM Kennedy Middle  
Swannanoa, NC ArtSpace Charter  
Lake Preston, SD Lake Preston Elementary  
Cheyenne, WY PODER Academy

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